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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 24, 2006, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, the Applicant submits the present response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111.

Claims 1-48 and 80-100 remain pending in the application. The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 12 of this paper.